BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Application for increase in water and wastewater rates in Alachua, Brevard, DeSoto, Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion, Orange, Palm Beach, Pasco, Polk, Putnam Seminole, Sumter, Volusia, and Washington Counties by Aqua Utilities Florida, Inc.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL BILL McCOLLUM'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to order no. PSC-08-0429-PCO-WS issued June 27, 2008, Attorney General Bill McCollum files this prehearing statement.

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The Attorney General adopts the Prehearing Statement of the Office of Public Counsel.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of Attorney General Bill McCollum's Prehearing Statement been furnished by electronic mail and U.S. Mail to the following parties on this 20th day of November, 2008.

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